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Miniatures in Minutes

Pyramid Triangle Foundation: Triangles in Triangles

Finished Foundation: 7" by 8"

Finished Quilt: 11 1/2" by 12 1/2"

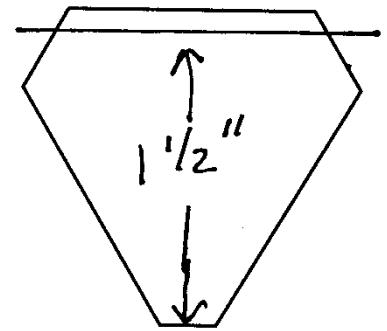
- *The Pyramid Triangle Foundation, pyramid triangle template, and instructions on the Fold and Sew method of assembly are included in Miniatures in Minutes (C&T Publishing).*



- Please note this very important correction you will need to make to the pyramid triangle patch template pattern:

Pyramid Triangle patch template pattern (on the foundation sheet pullout)

The template is just slightly off size. To fix, line up your ruler on the 1 1/2" mark on the short line that is just above the wording "Pyramid Triangle patch template pattern." Draw a line across the top of the template at the 1 1/2" mark. This is the line you should use when tracing your template. Please note: it is important that you place the correction line as indicated (and not along any of the other template edges).



Pyramid Triangle patch template pattern

The illustration is intended only as a visual guide for where you should draw your correction. It is NOT a patch template drawn to size.

Fabric Requirements:

The border and binding fabrics require some minimal yardage. The patches for the foundation require scraps (see the cutting directions for the strip lengths and number of patches needed).

For the foundation:

Medium to dark brightly colored batiks – a collection of scraps (I used 24 different fabrics)

Light colored batiks – a collection of scraps (I used approximately 15 different fabrics)

Dark fabric for the inner border and binding: 1/8 yard

Border: 1/4 yard

Backing: 1 fat quarter

Cutting Directions: Patch Size – Cut a 1 1/2" by 2" rectangle for each patch. **Use the Pyramid Triangle Patch template to trim the rectangles to size.**

From the medium to dark fabrics:

For 12 of the fabrics (A – L), cut a strip 1 1/2" by 6" – crosscut into 3 patches, 1 1/2" by 2".

For 12 of the fabrics (A2 – L2), cut a single patch, 1 1/2" by 2".

From the light colored fabrics:

For 8 of the fabrics (2, 3, 6, 7, 10, 11, 14, 15), cut a strip 1 1/2" by 6" – crosscut into 3 patches.

For 8 of the fabrics (1, 4, 5, 8, 9, 12, 13, 16), cut a strip 1 1/2" by 4" – crosscut into 2 patches.

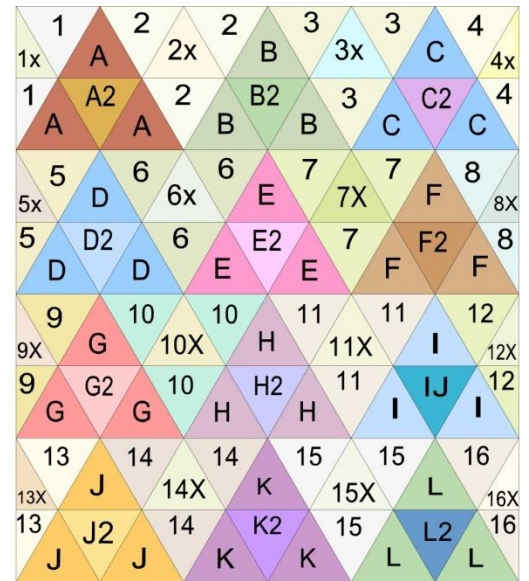
For 16 of the fabrics (1x – 16x), cut a single patch, 1 1/2" by 2".

Inner Border: Cut 2 strips 3/4" by 7 1/2"

Cut 2 strips 3/4" by 9"

Outer Border: Cut 2 strips 2 1/4" by 8"

Cut 2 strips 2 1/4" by 12 1/2"



Quilt Layout Diagram Oddity – Or why the accent center triangle for the "I" triangle is identified as "IJ" instead of "I2": Well, "I2" (eye-two) looks an awful lot like "12" (twelve). Ask me how I know. Labeling the patch "IJ" should avoid any (really annoying) confusion as to which patch goes where!

Quilt Layout Diagram: Triangles in Triangles

